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Enclosed herewith for filing is a patent application, as follows:

Inventor(s): Foster, Donald Craig
 Title: Stackable Lead Frame Package Using Exposed Internal Lead Traces
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11 page(s) Specification (not including claims)
6 page(s) Claims
1 page Abstract
6 Sheet(s) of Drawings
2 page(s) Declaration For Patent Application and Power of Attorney
1 page(s) Recordation Form Cover Sheet (in duplicate)
1 page(s) Assignment
1 page(s) Request and Certification Under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)

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| Total Claims | 32 | -20 = 12 | x \$18.00 | \$ 710.00 \$ 216.00 |

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| Independent Claims | 4 | -3 = 1 | x \$80 | \$ 80.00 |
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REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION
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| Inventors | Foster, Donald Craig |
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